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OBSERVATIONS OF PASSING EVENTS

MRS. MAYBRICK, whose charge of the murder of her husband more than fifteen years ago caused her imprisonment, is at last free. In 1881, when eighteen years old, she married James Maybrick. Mrs. Maybrick Free. of Liverpool, who was over forty years old. He

died in 1889 and his wife was charged with his death. Doctors swore that he died of arsentcal poisoning, and the defense proved that he had long been a user of arsenic and that he daily took doses large enough to kill a person. The result of it all was that Mrs. Maybrick was sentenced to death, the judge speaking two days in charging the jury. Mrs. Maybrick's mother labored hard for her and succeeded in getting the death sentence commuted to life imprisonment. By constant effort Mrs. Maybrick has at last been released. The case excited considerable interest on both sides of the Atlantic.

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On Tuesday of last week Greensboro voted on prohibition and carried it by more than twice as many votes for prohibition as against it. That town has once before tried prohibition and it would Prohibition in Greensboro. seem that the more than two to one vote this

time could be considered a very strong endorsement of the prohibitoin system. A most remarkable thing about the campaign was the espousal of the cause of the liquor people by Rev.Mr.Dean of the Episcopal church, who preached a special sermon against prohibition Sunday preceding the election. It does seem to us that a minister of the Holy Gospel is indiscreet to preach a sermon from his pulpit in defense of the liquor traffic. Mr. Dean's sermon will no doubt be printed into the hundreds of thousands of copies by the various liquor associations and will bear fruit against temperance in a far wider sphere than he intended it. He preached it for Greensboro, but it will probably be spread nation wide.

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A HORNET's nest has been stirred up at Wilmington and they are stinging at Governor Aycock. A meeting of the Military Committee was held

at Raleigh recently to determine the place of en-They Criticize the campment for the State Guard. A special com-Governor. mittee was .. ppointed at that meeting to visit

Wrightsville and Morehead to determine which place preferable for the encampment. That committee made the visit and reported to Governor Aycock. The committee sent to Raleigh by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to present the claims of Wrightsville for the encampment, some days ago made report to the Chamber of Commerce, and in their report stated that Ly the report of the special visiting committee, Governor Aycock appointed the encampment for Morehead, but that the Governor refused to let the report of the special visiting committee be made public. The Wilmington people are displeased with Governor Aycock for not giving out the report of that special committee which visited Wrightsville and Morebead. They say he is not fair to Wilmington. At this writing there is no further development than the expressed displeasure of the Wil-

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Such is the heading of an editorial in Collier's Weekly which takes President Roosevelt to task for his attitude towards the negro. It points "Wronging the South." out how he has injured the country while trying to serve his party. We reproduce the entire article from Collier's:

"Political animosity, as shown at the convention, cannot be eradicated as long as the South is solid. It must, for its cure, await an issue that will make both parties wooers. Mr. Roosevelt has done much, for lack of tact or for personal and party reasons, to postpone the day when Mason and Dixon's Line shall be ancient history. By so doing he has strengthened his party and injured his country, and we hope he will let the negro question alone if he serves a second term. It is not great statesmanship to solidify one section of the country by the injury of another, and the South was undoubtedly progressing with its negro problem before the President took a hand, with a series of episodes which culminated in the Republican plank in favor of cutting down representation. Senator Lodge is a very poor advisor for Mr. Roosevelt. He is a bigoted partisan, and he represents a State and region which are least in sympathy with the South and least understand its difficulties and their solution. The President of the whole people should learn about each section of the country from the wisest and best representatives of that section. To view Mississippi from the standpoint of Massachusetts is to be unjust by failing in that universal sympathy which we have just described as part of Lincoln's greatness. We recommend to the President a special study of Lincoln's view of Southern difficulties."

THE Charlotte News repeats the question it often hears, "What is the matter with North Carolina?" and then proceeds to answer it. The sum-The Matter With North ming up of the answer is, that there is nothing

Carolina. State with a great history. But the people of

the State-the leaders, if you please-are too modest in asserting her rights. North Carolina played too small a part in the St Louis convention, says the News, simply because the management of things was poor. We quote the

"Simmons, Oyerman and Aycock should have been sent by all means to the convention as delegates-at-large. Any other of the four men actually selected would have done for the fourth man. But the position of these three men would have guaranteed the State a hearing. South Carolina sent Senator Tillman and Governor Heyward. Virginia sent Senators Daniel and Martin and Governor Montague. Virginia and South Carolina were ten times more prominent in the convention than was North Carolina. Aycock should have been where Senator Davis was, on the Platform committee. There he would have met and counseled with the ablest leaders of the Democratic party in the Nation. Senator Davis was sitting through that long conference right between Hill and Bryan. Aycock was over in the far east, in North Carolina. The newspaper men from North Carolina, recognizing that no one was slated for the Vice Presidency, that the leaders had agreed upon no one, that it was anybody's fight, and that Champ Clark, Bryan, and others had made strong appeals for the nomination of a Southern man for first place, and that the Northern delegations were all saying that a Southern man should be nominated for second place on the ticket, the newspaper men from North Carolina got Ayeock's picture in the papers and started a little boom for him. The North Carolina delegation agreed to support him for the nomination. The gentleman selected to put Aycock's name in nomination happened to be at the big fair when the critical moment came. Governor Heyward, of South Carolina, one of Aycock's admirers, had agreed to second Aycock's nomination, but there was no member of the North Carolina delegation present who could trust himself to nominate its own candidate in that turbulent convention. One of the newspaper men was asked it he would put him in nomination. North Carolina's name was called on the roll and 'passed' and then a little later voted for Williams of Illinois, whose sole claim upon the convention was that he was a Congressman and from Illinois. Senator Davis' name had not been mentioned in the papers and not in the convention until the day for the nomination came. But West Virginia believed in her own. and sent her ablest men to represent her, and West Virginia won."

BIOGRAPHY OF A FOOL.

He didn't have time to chew

The food that he had to eat.

But he washt it into his throat As if time was a thing to beat. At breakfast and lunch and dinner

'Iwas a bite and a gulp and a go-Oh, the crowd is so terribly eager, And a man has to hurry so! A bite and a gulp and away

To the books and the ticker! A bit And a drink and a smoke and a seat And a card table half of the night; A pressure, a click and a pallor,

A cloth-covered box and a song; A weary old fellow at forty, Who is deaf to the noise of th throng.

Bite of the Cottontail.

bit will fight-I have been fought by Atchison county. One read many of them, although under circumstances which I have never seen men- wife." tioned in The Post.

"When I was a boy I used to go around half the winter with my arm in property, real, personal, and mixed, topersimmon-I lived on a farm-was to for all time and forever," etc. trap cottontails. We have a trap in North Carolina known as a 'rabbit

hy's fangs.

do with them. When I was a young- his own will. ster I have seen half the boys in the hands raised-rabbit-bitten."

The Teacher Was Popular.

ing about to work mischief. He did not mean to disobey his teacher, for he his own signature. was very fond of her. But after he had been corrected several times he heard the stern voice of Miss Black pronounce his doom:

"Russell, come to my desk. Now

tand just so." Then Miss Black took down the long ruler. Once, twice, three times fell from Russell, but from the teacher, and she grew deadly pale. She had hurt her wrist. Russell was sent to his seat, and soon the school was dismissed

were all in their seats, but no boys. stilled words never appeals to either the residues of gas. What was keeping the boys so long in the reader or the public. If he strives the basement? Presently a procession. for social advancement, verbosity will headed by the weeping Russell, filed be one of his greatest handicaps, for up the stairs and into the school room. people of culture are the last to be

reproachful tones. Then, to her surprise, the biggest boy spoke up: "He's crying 'cause we thumped him in the basement

'cause he hurt you." The rest of the day Russell was a model boy. At the close of school in the whole system becomes diseased. the afternoon Miss Black spoke very Keep your liver healthy by using Rykindly to him, and told him she was dale's Liver Tablets. They cure all pleased that he had ended the day with

such good behavior. From a dozen throats in concert came the explanation : "Yes, he had to be good for you, 'cause we told him are a sight! How'd you get all the school."

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WORD ECONOMY.

WHY USE SO MANY WORDS?

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ing or judicious expenditure of money. It is very possible to be almost a miser where finance is concerned and a prodspending neither of these three last cash or apparently affects our supply of coin, we are apt to drift into rather reckless methods where they are involved. Single out the matter of words as a specific instance and if you "I have been an interested reader of conduct your investigation with an The Post's contributions to the habits eye open to this particular phase, you away to the plant where the turpenand character of the great American will be astounded at the number of tine is extracted and all the stumps, rabbit," said Mr. Powhatan Scott, of words which we waste daily, not only pine or hardwood, are burned for char-North Carolina, in the lobby of the in conversation, but in our correspond-Shoreham last night, "not only because | ence and legal documents. The follow-I am an admirer of the game little ani- ing which is a fair illustration of the mal of my native State, but because I, latter point, is furnished by a contemmyself, have suffered pain from his porary given to comment: Two wills fangs. There is no doubt that the rab- were filed with the probate judge in the South, where the yellow pine is

The other read :

a sling as the result of numerous and getner with all tenements, hereditarepeated encounters with rabbits. I ments, and appurtenences thereunto likely to carry on the good work. was a youngster then, and my chief oc- belonging or otherwise appertaining to,

And the first is as good as the last." What is said in the last line is cergum,' a long box with a door at one end | tainly sharply to the point. It is prob- farming land, especially adapted to poworking on a spring. Once bunny en- able that in the first case cited the tatoes, red clover and other crops, that tered the box to nibble at the bait the will is the production of a simple, will be much more valuable when eu- Free. Address, Allen S. Oliusted, Ledoor would drop and he would be a straightforward business man, who tirely cleared. It is an enormous labor Roy, N. Y. "Then would come the exciting time. ters and who was not in love with de- tion of these obstructions. When it is It would be necessary, in order to cat vious phraseology even if it were ornate done he can put in a larger crop acrethe chorus now." "Pshaw--is she is the rabbit, having already trapped him, and high-sounding. He probably 1m- age and raise more to the acre, but the to actually gain possession of him. agined, too, the uncertainty in which clearing means years of labor. If he That's where the rub would come in. he would keep his hears, when it came can have it done by the turpentine Many is the time that I have trembl- to the lugubrious chapter of reading and charcoal producer, he will not beingly thrust my arm through the door, the will, and mercifully decided to put grudge his benefactor a handsome and many is the time I have had the them out of all suspense as quickly as profit. skin peeled from the back of my hand possible. The other man, it is very as though with a potato slicer by bun- likely, was fond of persiflage in other things save the use of words, or he "The rabbit's front teeth are sharp, did not have sufficient confidence in and when cornered it knows what to himself to undertake the making of the French National Society of Agri

is a common one and likely to bring apart. the stick. Then a little crv came, not which obscure the pith of the subject wing. matier. What they want and demand It is stated that any substance can eh? Well, I hardly understand it. are ideas and their clear expression, be burnt which gives a thick and She never consults me except in a shorn of all confusing verbiage. If the abundant smoke, such as green herbs, financial way." "Well-ah-sir, that's young man seeks to make headway in moss, damp straw, tuits of grass, etc., literature he is again handicapped, for but best results have been obtained in The ten minutes were up. The girls the sentence or chapter overladen with France by the heavy oils which are "Russell, are you still crying because caught or held simply by ability to punished you?" the teacher asked in reel off large words or gander-like phrases.

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Gets Pay for Old Stumps,

tinneapolis Journal. Turpentine can be extracted from an old pine stump and this fact is the basis New York city—the first native of this of a new industry reported from north- city or any other large city of the counean Minnesota. The promoters of the try-to hold the office of President of novel enterprise are asking farmers for the United States. the privilege of clearing their land of

of a "cut-over" farm, whose ribs are son at Port Conway, the first Harrison ical with physical and mental energy, sore from contact with the plow emotion and even words. Because the handles in futile efforts to dodge the obstrusive stump, like a message of dequalities necessitates the outlay of liverance. All the promoter wants is the stumps, and the farmer sincerely wants him to have them, so a bargain is easily struck.

The turpentine men go on the land with a stump puller and extract all the remnants of the forest, hauling them coal. It is asserted that the stumps are rich in turpentine and that the process yields good financial returns.

Hitherto the manufacture of turpen tine has been practically confined to very rich in all by-products. White "Will-I give all my property to my pine yields them in comparatively small quantities. It is not likely that the industry will ever reach great pro-"I give, devise, and bequeath all my portions in the North, but as long as the turpentine man finds his raw material cheap and easily accessible he is morbill, N. Y.; Arthur at Fairfield, Vt.,

What Minnesota is more interested cupation after the frost touched the wherever situated, to have and to hold, in is the elimination of the stumps Some cut-over land really needs them to decay and thus enrich the sandy soil, but there are large acres of good needed time for other important mat- for the farmer to clear a quarter sec-

Smoke as a Preventive of Frost.

M. Bignon has recently addressed to world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be culture a note giving information on sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's He must have secured the services the efficacy of artificial clouds in pre neighborhood with the backs of their of a lawyer, the professional peregrina- venting late frosts. For many years tions of these gentry being to plausi- he has successfully practiced this. bly support this theory. More espe- His vineyard thus protected covers cially with the smaller fry or the about 15 acres and is divided into five younger element, they feel that they parts, separated from east to west by Chicago News. have not earned their fees unless they walks 12 to 15 feet wide and circled by Russe'll was usually a good boy in give their client a copious shower of an avenue of equal width. These walks school, but on this particular day he words and abstruse terms, which, while facilitate the placing of the fires, which could not study. His mind persisted they may befog his understanding will are built in a small basin sunk into long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, in wandering, and his hands in dodg- tickle his vanity, since the document the earth and filled with 15 or 20 of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly is written in the first person and bears pounds of resinous matter and some get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would pieces of pine and other vegetable de- cough frightfully and spit blood, but, The fault of superfluous phraseology bris. The basins are some 50 feet when all other medicines falled, three

much we to the sinner. In the first In 1903 the frosts were very heavy 58 pounds." It's absolutety guaranplace, if he seeks success in the busi- for a week, and recourse was had four teed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, ness world ne is discouraged at the times to artificial fires. The total ex- Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung start, for the very elemental reason pense was \$400. The effect is stated Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial that business men object to flowery as having preserved 25 per cent. of the bottles free at E. T. Whitehead G Co.'s language or an abundance of words harvest, or some 125 to 150 barrels of drug store.

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George Washington was born in a small town in Westmoreland county, Such a proposal comes to the owner Virginia; Jefferson at Shadwell, Madiat Berkley, Tyler at Charles City and Monroe at a small settlement in Westmoreland county-all in Virginia. Jackson's birthplace was at Maxhaw, an isolated settlement on the border line between North and South Carolina; John Adams and John Quincy Adams were born in Quincy, Mass; Grant was a native of Point Pleasant, Ohio; Garfield of Miram, Harrison of North Bend, Hayes of Delaware and William McKinley of Niles-all in Ohio. Polk was born at Pineville, at settlement in Mecklenburg county, North Carolina, a town of less than 600 inhabitants. Abraham Lincoln was born at a small settlement in Inrue, then Hardin county, Kentucky; General Taylor at a small settlement in Virginia; Franklin Pierce at Hillsboro, Mass ; James Buchanan at Cops Gap, Penn.; Andrew Johnson at Raleigh, N. C. Of the New York Presidents, Martin Van Buren was born at Kinderhook, N. Y.; Fillmore at Sumand Grover Cleveland at Caldwell, N J.

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"So my daughter referred you to ne, just it."-Stray Stories.

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Chicago News. BRUTALLY TORTURED.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golo-For quick relief from biliousness, sick blek, of Colusa, Calif, writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from ness and all troubles arising from an Rheumatism and nothing relieved ma inactive, sluggish liver, Early Risers though I tried everything. I came across Electric Bitters and It's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it complete-Backe-A man is never too old to ly relieved and cured me." Just us learn Benne-No; he can always good for Liver and Kidney troubles istaction guaranteel by E. T. Whitehead & Co, druggists.

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